- displays a spot on the display screen at a location with known coordinates in the frame of reference of the display screen;
- accesses the bezel grid coordinate reporting means, to obtain the coordinates of the spot on the display screen in the frame of reference of the bezel grid; and
- calculates the coordinate transforms to be applied to bezel grid coordinates to effectively align the bezel frame of reference to the display screen frame of reference.
- 4. A computer system comprising:
- a central processing unit (CPU);
- a memory accessed by the CPU;
- a display screen coupled to the CPU, for visually displaying data from the CPU;
- a demountable bezel, for mounting to the display screen;
- means carried by the bezel, for establishing a grid of light beams in front of the display screen and for detecting an interruption of light beams in the grid;
- means coupled to the light beam grid and detecting means, for determining the grid coordinates of an object placed proximate the face of the display screen to mark a spot thereon;
- means coupled to the grid coordinate determining means, for reporting the grid coordinates to the CPU;
- said CPU translating bezel grid coordinates to display screen coordinates in accordance with instructions stored in the memory.
- 5. The system of claim 4 wherein the light beam grid and detecting means comprises:
 - a plurality of light beam emitters and detectors ar- 35 ranged around the sides, top and bottom of the

- display screen, so that for each emitter there is a detector directly across from it on the opposite side of the screen.
- 6. The system of claim 5 wherein the light beam grid and detecting means further comprises:
 - a counter and decoder circuit for enabling multiple pairs of said emitters and detectors sequentially to provide multiple beams scanning across said display screen.
- 7. The system of claim 6 wherein the light beam grid and detecting means yet further comprises:
 - a circuit that detects the interruption of said beams.
- 8. The system of claim 7 wherein the grid coordinate determining means comprises:
- means for registering the emitter and detector pairs enabled at the time of the interruption.
- 9. A touch-sensitive data input device for use with a display screen, comprising:
- a plurality of light beam emitters and detectors;
- means for mounting the emitters and detectors rigidly with respect to each other in an assembly removably mountable to a display screen;
- said mounting means arranging the emitters and detectors around the top, sides, and bottom of the display screen so as to dispose each emitter directly across from a detector and on opposite sides of the screen;
- a circuit for enabling multiple pairs of said emitters and detectors sequentially to produce multiple beams scanning across said display screen;
- a detector circuit for detecting an interruption of said beams; and
- an enclosure for the emitters and detectors made of a material having a light transmission spectrum matched to the emission spectrum of the emitters.

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